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To whom it may concern,

I am writing to you in support of a petition (98P-0151/CP1) filed by the Farm Sanctuary. I am also concerned about the horrendous treatment of many animals. Thet are being dragged, pushed with tractors, and being picked up with forklifts to the slaughterhouse. They suffer broken bones and torn tendons. This happens so companies can make a few extra dollars.

Research as shown that "downed animals" that enter the nations human food supply, may jepordize human health because they often carry "mad cows" disease.

The Federal Food and Cosmetic Act prohibits the transport of adulterated animals, yet the "downed animals' continued to be marketed.

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